

## RANK HYPOCRISY SAYS GOVERNOR

Mr. Cutler Replies in No Uncertain Terms to Communication of "American" Club.

## SCORES CITY GOVERNMENT DECLARES THE ADMINISTRATION ALONE IS TO BLAME.

Governor John C. Cutler has made public his reply to the demand made by the "American" party club that he and the attorney general take steps to prevent the removal of the "red light" district to the west side. The governor characterizes the action of the club as the "rankest piece of hypocrisy" and lays the blame for all the evil on the city administration.

The governor's communication reads: Trustees of "American" Club of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of your communication of Sept. 12, 1908, and in reply to inform you that a resolution was unanimously adopted by your club at its annual meeting, held Sept. 8, 1908, at Salt Lake City, Utah, and asking the state officials to take steps to dissolve the corporation which it is supposed intends to establish the said district. The communication has been given careful consideration, and I have the honor to say in reply:

The action of your club and the sending of your communication to the governor and the attorney general is the rankest piece of hypocrisy that has come to my attention for a long time. You state that you have reason to believe that Dora B. Topham and her associates in this corporation "intend" to "acquire, use, own, rent, lease, or otherwise dispose of" property for the purpose of prostitution, and you state that you believe that said Dora B. Topham should not be permitted to do so under the guise of a corporation that which she could not lawfully do as an individual.

And yet your own party, which has been in power in Salt Lake City for nearly three years, is permitting individuals openly and flagrantly to do the very things you "think" this corporation "intends" to do, for which "intention" you ask the state officials to dissolve the corporation. You are well aware that the business you suspect this corporation of intending to carry on is being flagrantly conducted by a large number of individuals in Salt Lake City; that houses are being rented and used for this illicit traffic, against the plain provisions of the ordinances of the city; and that if it is not done by the city, it is done by the city officials for the purpose of receiving considerable revenue from this same "illicit and illegal" business. And yet you ask the state officials to dissolve the corporation for "intending" to carry on this business, instead of demanding that the city officials do their duty by suppressing the same business, now carried on by individuals.

Who Is Responsible? I am convinced that if the incorporators of this company contemplate establishing such a district they are doing so because they feel secure in making large investments for this purpose on account of the protection now afforded the business where it is now being conducted by individuals, which protection they are doubtless assured the city administration will give to the business when conducted by a corporation. And it seems to me that instead of condemning certain of your city officials for favoring the business, you should condemn the entire city administration for not suppressing the traffic where it is already being openly and notoriously conducted. And instead of calling on the state officials to dissolve a corporation you think contemplates breaking the law, you should unequivocally demand that the city officials do their duty by suppressing the same traffic as it now exists under the management of individuals.

And I believe I can safely state to the city officials the undivided support of the sheriff's office in their warfare on this business, and I know that all the power of the state will be given in support of their efforts to suppress it. And if it shall become an undoubted fact that Dora B. Topham and her associates are conducting this business under the guise of a corporation, it will then be time for the governor and the attorney general to take steps to dissolve the corporation, and there will then be sufficient reasons for the dissolution.

Traffic Should Be Stopped.

I am bitterly and unqualifiedly opposed to this traffic. It should be stopped. The officials of Salt Lake City should immediately institute proceedings to drive all prostitutes and their parasites out of the city. The next of inquiry infesting Commercial street and other places in the city should be banished from the city. The proper way to do this is for the city officials strictly to enforce the ordinance against this form of lawbreaking. If it should develop that they are either unable or unwilling to do so, then the aid of the county or even of the state may be invoked for this laudable purpose. Yours very truly,

JOHN C. CUTLER, Governor.

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## FLORIAN PARK IS LENGTHENED

Procession During Festival Will Be Pageant Filled With Wondrous Sights.

## MANY FEATURES SECURED PROGRAM FOR OPENING DAYS ANNOUNCED.

As the "flower parade" during the Salt Lake Flower festival will be longer than was at first expected, the line of march will probably be lengthened. The carnival procession will either go down Main street on the west side and counter march on the east side, or will move south in Main street and then cross to State street at Third South or Fourth South street and turn northward.

Features already secured will make the parade about six blocks long and additions are being announced every day.

Major Richard W. Young has been appointed marshal of the day. He has not yet named the members of his staff.

There are to be 500 children in the parade, each carrying a flower-decked hoop.

**Program Is Announced.**

The program for the opening days of the carnival has been announced as follows:

Thursday evening, Sept. 17—"Silver Spray Ballet," "Pocahontas and Indians," "Bohemian Girl," opera; "Love's Young Dream," "La Carmencita," opera; "The Last of the Vestal Virgins."

Friday evening, Sept. 18—"The Mikado," opera; "Pocahontas and Indians," "Bohemian Girl," opera; "Love's Young Dream," "La Carmencita," opera; "The Last of the Vestal Virgins."

Saturday evening, Sept. 19—"A Night in Japan," "La Carmencita," opera; "Norwegian Marriage Festival," "Bohemian Girl," opera; "Last of the Vestal Virgins."

**Society Is Interested.**

Leaders in Salt Lake society have already engaged most of the boxes for these performances. All the boxes will be used at the Saturday matinee by a young ladies' box party which is being arranged by Miss Alice Nibley and Miss Sybella White Clayton.

From Sept. 22, the day of the "flower parade," to Sept. 26 the carnival entertainments and dances will be at Odeon hall.

J. J. McCall, organist at the tabernacle, will direct the largest of these entertainments, which will be given on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 26. About 1,500 persons will take part in the dances and tableaux. There will be a chorus of 500 voices and twenty-five soloists.

**SALT LAKE GAY, BUT NOT VICIOUS**

The Rev. Albert Buxton Talks on Other Pastor's Remarks.

At the Central Christian church yesterday morning Rev. Albert Buxton took for his theme, "Salt Lake Another Sodom and Gomorrah." Dr. Buxton read for his lesson the passage in Genesis describing the wickedness and overthrow of those two cities and took for his text Matt. xi, 21, 22: "Woe unto thee, Chorazin! woe unto thee, Bethsaida! for thou, Capernaum, which thou has exalted in heaven! Thou shalt be brought down to hell; for if the mighty works which have been done in thee had been done in Sodom it would have remained."

Dr. Buxton said in part: "This theme is thrust upon us at this time. A love colleague of mine has been flamingly misreported as telling an eastern audience that Salt Lake is worse than Sodom. I did not give full credit to the report from the first, and am glad to read to you this report as it appeared the next morning in the city where the sermon was given. (Dr. Buxton then read from the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.) Yet a day newspaper has hurried this theme into our forum and as one of the religious leaders of civic thought I cannot escape the theme this morning. As a accurate fact, of course, Salt Lake is not to be compared with Sodom. No city has ever been as bad as Sodom."

**Not Town of Vice.**

"Whether Salt Lake is better or worse than other cities is merely a question of curiosity. We may only plead for ourselves in the day of judgment. Although this is not my theme, yet it has been such a current topic this week that I pause to say emphatically that Salt Lake, though she needs to hinder the South at Irwin, need not stand abashed in the presence of her sister cities. This is not mere loyalty to my city. It is a well-balanced judgment. I have preached in about thirty of our states and in over half of our thirty largest cities—and I am proud of Salt Lake. She has faults of her own. Possibly no American city is more given to thoughtless pleasure-to-careless gaiety—to the Epicurean philosophy; but when you speak of crime, of vice, let no one defame my town and land her rivals. To do so is either bigotry or ignorance. Compared with American cities, Salt Lake is a gay city, but not a town of vice."

**RAILROAD MAN DEAD.**

P. H. Irwin, Sr., Chief Engineer of B. & O., Dies in Virginia.

P. H. Irwin, superintendent of the Salt Lake division of the Rock Mountain Bell Telephone company, received a telegram yesterday announcing the death at Irwin, Va., of his father, P. H. Irwin, Sr., the elder Mr. Irwin was a pioneer railroad man, having been actively in the business since early manhood, and was chief engineer of the Baltimore & Ohio at the time of his death, a position he had held continuously for about forty years. He was 74 years old. The funeral will probably be at Mr. Irwin's home at Westminster, Md.

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## NOW WAR CLOUDS IN HARA'S SKIES

Former Japanese Minister of Interior Sees No Occasion for Alarm.

## HOPES TO PROMOTE TRADE BELIEVES BROTHERLY FEELING SHOULD EXIST.

K. Hara, former Japanese minister of the interior and consul for that nation at Paris, and now a member of the Japanese parliament, is a visitor in Salt Lake. In company with K. Iijima and S. Yoshimura he is making a tour of the world and arrived yesterday from San Francisco. The party will leave this afternoon for Butte, where the mines and smelters will be inspected, and thence they will go east by way of St. Paul.

Mr. Hara is a distinguished looking man of 60 years and is taller than the ordinary Japanese seen hereabouts. His hair is silvery white and one would hardly know his nationality from his features. He is unable to speak English, but speaks French fluently.

The talking is done by the two other members of the party, who have visited this country before and are proficient in the use of English. Through Mr. Iijima as an interpreter Mr. Hara said:

"The conditions in Japan were never better. The war left us with a heavy debt, but the commercial activity of the nation since it ended has served to minimize this burden. The recent war of war with the United States I believe to be absolutely baseless. As for myself, I have the most friendly feeling toward your country. I think that it should be the endeavor of both nations to foster a brotherly feeling and to enlarge the trade each with the other."

All those in the party expressed great admiration for Salt Lake, declaring it to be the prettiest city they have visited.

## ANOTHER CHURCH IN OPPOSITION

Westminster Presbyterian Denounces Scheme to Remove "Red Light" to West Side.

The congregation of the Westminster Presbyterian church went on record yesterday as being unalterably opposed to the plan on foot to remove the "red light" district to the west side. The pastor, the Rev. Charles Curtis McIntire, in his remarks, said that this action would have been taken several weeks ago if it had not been for the fact that a large number of the members of the congregation were out of the city during the month of August. At no time, however, said Mr. McIntire, was the church congregation of any other mind than being bitterly opposed to the scheme.

The congregation adopted a statement much in the form of a resolution presented by a committee consisting of Mr. McIntire, J. W. Phillips and J. S. Davis. The statement reads:

"At a meeting of the church and congregation of Westminster Presbyterian church, on Sunday, Sept. 13, 1908, it was resolved that this people emphatically express their disapproval and indignation at the attempt to establish a 'red light' district on the west side of the city, as being subversive to morality. This meeting considers the establishment of such a 'red light' district as most detrimental to the interests of the city, and particularly dangerous in its influence on the young generation in making them acquainted with the worst forms of vice."

Westminster church people desire to place themselves on record as utterly opposed to any step that would appear to indicate their sanction even in the remotest degree to such action.

**HE SHOULD HAVE USED A NATIONAL CASH REGISTER**

Object Lesson That Proved a Surprise.

Decatur, Ala., Sept. 13.—Wilber Harris, a prosperous merchant of Decatur, was presented by his wife with \$1,631 in cash, which she told him she had taken from the daily sales from time to time while he was away delivering goods. She said she did this in order to show Harris how easily leaks could occur. Harris had never missed the money.

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## WILL ENTERTAIN THE CARPENTERS

Program for National Convention Arranged at Meeting at the Commercial Club.

## COMMITTEES ARE CHOSEN PLEASURE WILL BE MIXED WITH BUSINESS.

At a meeting held in the Commercial club rooms yesterday arrangements were made for entertaining the national convention of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners which is to meet here for twelve days beginning on Sept. 21.

Those who attended the meeting were H. P. Clark, L. R. Martineau, Fisher Harris and W. A. Liebman, representing the club, and W. G. Wilson and F. A. Ellis, representing the local union. W. D. Huber, president of the brotherhood, also attended and offered suggestions. Besides arranging the program, committees were appointed to plan the various functions.

The convention will open with a parade and trips to Saltair and Bingham. A smoker and banquet also being among the features of the entertainment as planned.

The following program was arranged: Sept. 21—Parade forms at 9:30 a. m. at Cullen hotel. Opening ceremonies at Armory hall at 10:30 a. m. Session called to order by George E. Gray, president of the local district council. Addresses of welcome by Governor John C. Cutler, Mayor John S. Bransford and W. D. Huber, general president, and Frank Duffy, general secretary.

Afternoon session—Report of committee on credentials and appointment of committee on rules and regulations.

Sept. 22—Business sessions. Sept. 23—Business sessions and smoker in the evening at Armory hall.

Sept. 24 and 25—Business sessions, with concert at the tabernacle Friday afternoon.

Sept. 26—Business session and visit to Saltair in the afternoon and evening.

Sept. 27—Attendance at First Congregational church in the morning and at the tabernacle in the afternoon.

Sept. 28—Business session. Sept. 29—Trip to Bingham and inspection of mines and smelters.

Sept. 30—Business session and banquet in the evening at Armory.

The remaining days of the convention will be devoted to business.

The following local committees were appointed: Expense vouchers—H. P. Clark, W. G. Wilson and F. A. Ellis.

Smoker—W. A. Liebman, F. A. Ellis and F. Christensen.

Tabernacle concert—Fisher Harris. Saltair trip—L. R. Martineau, G. W. Peck, F. A. Ellis and W. G. Wilson.

Bingham trip—Charles F. Warren, J. Wilks.

Banquet—John S. Critchlow, F. C. Schramm, H. Vance Lane, F. A. Ellis, W. G. Wilson and E. L. Diffenderfer.

## "NEAR-BEER" FOR THE OREGONIANS

Fight Against Breweries Has Some Curious Results—Idaho Towns Are Prosperous.

"Near-beer" is the sign Oregon saloon keepers are now hanging out. Frank Hewlett of Hewlett Bros., who has just returned from a month's tour of Oregon and Idaho, says that there have been many curious results of the fight in Oregon upon breweries. Half of the saloons have been closed. The other half are now in the line of "near-beer," soda water and cigars.

The "near-beer" looks like beer and tastes like beer, and is in fact beer, except that it contains less than 2 per cent alcohol.

Mr. Hewlett says that there is plenty of money in Idaho and eastern Oregon. Two trains a day are sent over the Payette valley railroad, sixteen miles long, and three trains on Saturdays. Some of the trains contain ten carloads of melons from the Payette valley farms.

Gooding, Ida., which is about a year old, now has six stores, a bank and other places of business, and a \$20,000 hotel will be finished there within sixty days.

"Splendid crops everywhere," make the outlook in Idaho very bright," said Mr. Hewlett.

He said that there are many reclamation enterprises under way, and that great numbers of settlers are entering the new regions in Idaho.

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## MAKE PROGRESS ON CITY WORK

Year's Improvements Planned by City Engineer Nearing Completion.

## SEWER PROBLEM SOLVED BELIEVED INTERCEPTING SYSTEM WILL SOON BE FINISHED.

Rapid progress has been made during the past two weeks toward the completion of the public improvements now under way and indications are that before snow falls little will remain undone.

L. C. Kelsey, city engineer, has during the past week made a careful survey of the situation and he is much gratified at the progress which is being made.

The matter of chief concern now is the completion of the wooden stave outlet pipe for the intercepting sewer and the installing of the pumping station. The Campbell Building company has the contract for laying the pipe and has been greatly delayed by the wet ground in which it is necessary to work. The engineer believes that in a month's time the pipe will all be down and that Fairbanks, Morse & Co. can then begin putting in the pumps. By Nov. 1, at the latest the intercepting sewer should be ready for use after a year's illness occasioned by the failure of the board of works to provide for an outlet before the sewer system was finished.

As soon as the sewer is in working order James Kennedy will begin building the \$100,000 sewer extension in the southwestern portion of the city which will empty into the intercepting sewer. This section has been in need of drainage for a long period, but nothing could be done until the completion of the intercepting sewer. The contract for the extension was let in 1906, but work on it has been impossible.

**Progress in Paving.**

P. J. Moran is progressing rapidly with the pavement on First South street and has one side of the street paved from Second to Seventh East. Much of the concrete base is in, and if all the property owners consent to the use of California asphalt the work will be completed by Dec. 1.

Davis & Heuser are rapidly nearing the end of their sewer work on the north bench. The extension is known as No. 184 and lies between Third and Sixth avenues and from A street to the military reservation. A total of eighty-seven blocks is involved, and the contract calls for its completion by Dec. 31. To date approximately sixty-four blocks have been laid and the firm contemplates finishing the remainder by Oct. 1. An average of twelve blocks a week is being laid. According to the engineer the early completion of this work will be to the advantage of the property owners, as it will permit them to make connections before the ground freezes. The district has never had sewer facilities, and because of this rapid growth drainage is badly needed. Already a large number of permits to connect with the sewer have been granted by the engineer and more applications are coming in every day.

**Sidewalks for Next Year.**

No sidewalks are being laid at present, although several extensions for next year are planned.

The engineer is completing his plans for the North Temple street aqueduct which is to be built with funds received from the bond issue, and bids for the work will be advertised for soon. The estimated cost is \$65,000, and it is believed that the aqueduct can be finished by March 1, in order to ward off any danger from spring freshets, which usually devastate the district through which City creek runs between Fifth and Eighth West on North Temple.

**PRESIDENT SMITH SPEAKS**

Head of Mormon Church Discusses Divine Origin of Book of Mormon.

Joseph F. Smith, president of the church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, spoke at the tabernacle services yesterday on the divine origin of the Book of Mormon.

The teachings of Joseph Smith, the prophet, have as their basis the teachings of Jesus Christ, and for any man to say that 'I believe in the Christian church' and reject the doctrines of Joseph Smith, gives the lie direct to his first statement," said the speaker. "There is not a principle in the teachings of Joseph Smith that does not correspond with the teachings of the Savior. The world proves its own hypocrisy when it affects to despise the teachings of the prophet Joseph."

Apostle John Henry Smith spoke on purity in home life.

Apostle Smith spoke first, and after his remarks a large number left the auditorium. President Smith took occasion to score those who interrupted the service and declared that there is no necessity for such action.

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**"THE VALUE OF A MAN"**

Dr. J. W. Payne Delivers Interesting Lecture on Unique Subject Before Audience at Eastman's Hall.

Dr. J. W. Payne delivered an interesting and instructive lecture last evening before the Here and Now society at Eastman's hall, on the subject, "The Value of a Man." Dr. Payne is a convincing and eloquent speaker.

The speaker traced the evolution of man from the primitive state to the present time and showed how "the value of a man" has increased with the progress of civilization. A man's value to the community and nation is today not measured by his physical strength, as it was in the barbaric ages, but it is measured by his intellect and his strength of character.

Dr. Payne said he cared not what a man's religion, creed or beliefs be, and that the only way properly to estimate a man is to consider him as a factor in national building, in contributing to the welfare, comfort and happiness of his fellows as well as of himself.

The doctor drew several interesting comparisons showing the way in which a man's worth should be considered. He made plain that too much stress is often laid on trivial things which should never enter into the summing up of the value of a man.

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